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IN RE ACCUTANE® LITIGATION

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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: ATLANTIC COUNTY

CASE NO. 271

CIVIL ACTION

ACCUTANE® LITIGATION

**ORDER REGARDING DEFENDANTS'
FACT SHEET**

This matter having been brought before the Court for a case management conference on January 5, 2006, and all counsel having been present,

IT IS on this 16 day of Feb, 2006 **ORDERED** as follows:

I. DEFENDANTS' FACT SHEET

Defendants Hoffmann-La Roche Inc. and Roche Laboratories Inc. (the "US Defendants") shall complete the Defendants' Fact Sheet attached to this Order.

The Defendants' Fact Sheet shall be deemed served on the US Defendants in cases in which plaintiffs listed on Schedule A annexed hereto (the "Initial Plaintiffs") have served Plaintiff's Fact Sheet responses. The US Defendants shall be deemed served with the Defendants' Fact Sheet by plaintiffs who subsequently file cases (the "New Plaintiffs") at the time that each of the New Plaintiffs serve their initial Fact Sheet responses.

II. DUE DATES ON ANSWERS TO DEFENDANTS' FACT SHEET

The US Defendants shall provide answers to the Defendants' Fact Sheet, together with an executed verification and any responsive documents and/or things, as follows:

The first twenty cases listed on Schedule A where Plaintiffs have served Fact Sheet responses, within 45 days of entry of this Order;

The next twenty cases listed on Schedule A where Plaintiffs have served Fact Sheet responses, within 90 days of entry of this Order; and

The next twenty cases listed on Schedule A where Plaintiffs have served Fact Sheet responses, within 135 days of entry of this Order; and

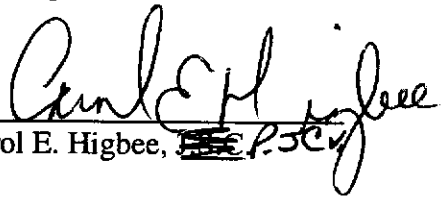
The next twenty cases listed on Schedule A where Plaintiffs have served Fact Sheet responses, within 180 days of entry of this Order; and

The next twenty cases listed on Schedule A where Plaintiffs have served Fact Sheet responses, within 225 days of entry of this Order; and

The next thirty-five cases listed on Schedule A where Plaintiffs have served Fact Sheet responses, within 270 days of entry of this Order.

With respect to any plaintiffs not on the attached schedule who serve fact sheet responses prior to entry of this order, the US Defendants shall provide answers to fact sheets prior to the expiration of 270 days from entry of this order.

Upon entry of this order, the US Defendants shall provide answers to the Defendants' Fact Sheet in all new cases not listed on Schedule A, together with an executed verification and any responsive documents and/or things, within 30 days of each New Plaintiffs' service of their initial, completed Fact Sheet response. To the extent a prescriber deposition is scheduled by Defendants and a completed Fact Sheet response has not been provided for that plaintiff, one shall be provided no later than two weeks prior to the scheduled deposition.


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